

## House Resolution No. 2537

**Whereas**, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives hold in high esteem those Show-Me State organizations that bring glory and honor to themselves and to this great state through the excellence of their endeavors in national venues of service; and

**Whereas**, Missouri Chapter #1 of the International Harvester Collectors Club will host the 19th Annual Red Power Round Up from June 11 to June 14, 2008, at the Boone County Fairgrounds in Columbia, Missouri; and

**Whereas**, the 19th Annual Red Power Round Up is expected to attract approximately 15,000 people from all across the United States, Canada, New Zealand, Belgium, Germany, and England; and

**Whereas**, in addition to the attendees, the 19th Annual Red Power Round Up will feature more than 1,000 farm tractors, 300 or more International Harvester Scouts and trucks, 300 small engines, 3-4,000 Cub Cadet riding lawn mowers, a large display of memorabilia, and vendors selling parts and other items; and

**Whereas**, during its one hundred fifty year history, International Harvester was one of the world's largest corporations and a manufacturer of vehicles, small engines, freezers, refrigerators, military and industrial products, and such farm machinery as tractors, threshers, balers, and milking equipment; and

**Whereas**, the International Harvester Collectors Club has more than 7,200 members and thirty-nine chapters across the United States, Canada, and Europe; and

**Whereas**, the International Harvester Collectors Club promotes collecting, restoring, and preserving the history and products made by the International Harvester Company; and

**Whereas**, the last Annual Red Power Round Up to take place in Missouri occurred in 1993, and this year's event will be cohosted by Missouri Chapter #1 of the International Harvester Collectors Club in cooperation with the Missouri River Valley Steam Engine Association of Boonville:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the history, goals, and accomplishments associated with Missouri Chapter #1 of the International Harvester Collectors Club and to convey to all of those involved this legislative body's most heartfelt best wishes for a highly successful 19th Annual Red Power Round Up; and

**Be it further resolved** that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution in honor of Missouri Chapter #1 of the International Harvester Collectors Club.

Offered by \_\_\_\_\_  
Representative Steven Tilley  
District No. 106

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives,  
Ninety-fourth General Assembly, Second Regular Session,  
do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House  
Resolution No. 2537, adopted May 5, 2008.

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Rod Jetton, Speaker